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Amendments to Specification

Page 1, lines 1 through 8, replace with the following:

TITLE

METHOD-AND APPARATUS FOR THERMAL DEVELOPMENT

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

FIELD OF THE INVENTION

This invention pertains to ~~a method and an~~ apparatus for thermally developing a photosensitive element, and particularly to ~~a method and an~~ apparatus that controls vapors and/or condensate created during thermal treating of the photosensitive element.

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METHOD-AND APPARATUS FOR THERMAL DEVELOPMENT

ABSTRACT

This invention pertains to ~~a method and an~~ apparatus for thermally developing a photosensitive element, and particularly to ~~a method and an~~ apparatus for controlling vapor and condensate created during thermal treating of the photosensitive element.